

House Resolution No. 3281

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge milestone events in the lives and careers of Show-Me State residents who have dedicated their time and energy to ensuring that today's students obtain the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners and true societal leaders; and

Whereas, Lenora Coatney has attained considerable distinction as a second-grade teacher at the Pate Early Childhood Center in the Aurora R-VIII School District which provides educational opportunities for more than twenty-one hundred students through the expertise of nearly two hundred certified staff in four separate institutions; and

Whereas, on June 30, 2005, Lenora Coatney will bring her illustrious professional endeavors to a close in well-deserved retirement after twenty-five years of service; and

Whereas, Lenora Coatney previously served in the developmental kindergarten and as a Parents as Teachers instructor; and

Whereas, Lenora Coatney brought to her professional activities in the Aurora R-III School District a wealth of wisdom garnered from studies required to earn a Master of Education degree from Southwest Missouri State University in 1985; and

Whereas, the beloved wife of John Coatney, Lenora Coatney is the loving mother of Doug and Regina Coatney, Jeff and Darlene Coatney, and Rhonda and Kurt Simon; and the devoted grandmother of Jesse, Jason, Brandon, Draven, Camille, Ethan, Eric, Eli, and Ezekiel:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the long, productive career of Lenora Coatney with the Aurora R-VIII School District and to convey to her this legislative body's most heartfelt best wishes as she partakes of the special opportunities and pleasures traditionally associated with the golden years of retirement; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Lenora Coatney of Aurora, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Jack Goodman
District No. 132

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 3281, adopted May 12, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker